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FORM NO. 1—AMENDED
OCTOBER 1, 1902

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
RECEIVED
SEP 15 1903
Referred
No.

Name of Applicant

J. R. Chrisman

Post Office

Gregg County,
Langview

Comptroller's File No. 13827

I have carefully examined the within application for pension, together with the proof in support thereof, and I recommend that the application be approved.

this _____ day of _____

A. D. _____

E. A. Bolmer

Chief Pension Clerk.

I hereby approve the within application for pension, this SEP 20 1903 day of _____

A. D. _____

J. R. Stephens
Comptroller.

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners Should be Forwarded to Comptroller

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NOTE—The law provides that pensions can begin only on the first day of April and October of each year.

FORM No. 1. Amended October 1, 1902.

APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899. Hereafter use no other blank but this.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Tully

To the Honorable County Judge of Tully County, Texas:

Your petitioner J. R. Johnston respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Tully County, in the State of Texas, and that he makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved May 12, A. D. 1899, the same being an act entitled "An Act to carry into effect the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors, and their widows under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor," and I do solemnly swear that the answers I have given to the following questions are true.

NOTE—Applicant must make answer to all of the following questions, and such answers must be written out plainly in ink.

- Q. What is your name? Answer J. R. Johnston
- Q. What is your age? Answer Age 65 years
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Tully County
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your postoffice address? Answer 2 months
Longview, Texas
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so, state when and where? Answer I have not
- Q. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Answer Farmer
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Very Bad
- Q. If your physical condition is such that you are unable by your own labor to earn a support, state what caused such disability. Answer It is Old Age
- Q. In what State was your command originally organized? Answer Alabama
- Q. How long did you serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer Four years
May 67 to July 1865
- Q. What was the name or letter of your company and name or number of your regiment? Answer Co.
Co. 42nd Alabama
- Q. State whether you served in the infantry, artillery, cavalry, or the navy. Answer Infantry
- Q. State whether or not you have received any pension or veteran donation land certificate under any previous law, and if you answer in the affirmative state what pension or veteran donation land certificate you have received. Answer I have not
- Q. What real and personal property do you now own, and what is the present value of such property? Give list of such property and value. Answer I have nothing
but a few house hold goods

(TX)

- Q. What property, and what was the value thereof, have you sold or conveyed within two years prior to the date of this application? Answer None at all
- Q. What estate has your wife in her own right, real and personal, and what is its value? Answer She has nothing
- Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer None at all
- Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer Yes Sir
- Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer Yes Sir
- Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer I have not
- Q. Did you ever desert the Confederacy? Answer I did not
- Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of January, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer I have
- Q. If you originally enlisted in the Confederate service from the State of Texas, were you at the date of the passage of this act, a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas? Answer _____

Wherefore your petitioner prays that his application for pension be approved and that such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

J. R. Chrismon

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of March A. D. 1908

[SEAL]

Robert Lacey
County Judge Gugg County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

(NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Gugg

Before me

Robert Lacey

County Judge of Gugg County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

M. P. Chrismon and W. D. Chrismon

who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know J. R. Chrismon the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said J. R. Chrismon is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness)

M. P. Chrismon

(Signature of Witness)

W. D. Chrismon

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9nd day of June A. D. 1908

(SEAL)

County Judge

Robert Lacey
Gugg

County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Texas
County Judge of Texas

Before me Edwin Lacy
County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. R. Chism, who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, who being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has carefully and thoroughly examined

applicant for a pension, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities which render him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself:

From old age and general debility

(Signature of Physician) W. J. Watt

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of June A. D. 1908

(SEAL)

Edwin Lacy
County Judge Texas County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Texas
County Judge of Texas

I Edwin Lacy
County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 1st

day of Aug A. D. 1908, before me came on to be heard the application of

J. R. Chism for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this State, approved May 12, A. D. 1899; that the answers of said applicant to the questions propounded were made under oath as the same appear in writing in the foregoing application; that the affidavits of the witnesses who are credible citizens were made before me as the same hereinbefore appear, and that the foregoing affidavit of Doctor W. J. Watt who is a reputable practicing physician of this county, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant, is not an inmate of the Texas Confederate Home, nor otherwise disqualified under the provision of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said J. R. Chism and the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Louisville this 1st day of Aug A. D. 1908

(SEAL)

Edwin Lacy
County Judge Texas County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Texas
Court of Texas

We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of Texas County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of

J. R. Chism for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted by Hon. Edwin Lacy County Judge of this Texas

County, to the Commissioners of this Texas County, at a regular term thereof on the 10th day of Aug A. D. 1908, and after a careful consideration of the

same we find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and we hereby approve said application.

Witness our hands and seal of office at Louisville this 10th day of Aug A. D. 1908

(Signature of Commissioners)

(SEAL)

J. H. Volney
J. R. Chism
E. B. Perry
J. F. Holt



E. M. BRAMLETTE, COUNTY JUDGE
DUSH SHAW, COUNTY CLERK
J. H. MCHANEY, COUNTY ATTORNEY
J. T. BROWN, COUNTY TREASURER

COMMISSIONERS
B. C. TODD, PRECINCT NO. ONE
J. C. JACKSON, PRECINCT NO. TWO
LEO BRADSHAW, PRECINCT NO THREE
JOHN F. HOLT, PRECINCT NO. FOUR

D. S. MEREDITH, SHERIFF
C. B. HAMILTON, TAX ASSESSOR
MARTIN HAYS, DISTRICT CLERK
E. O. MCWHORTER, TAX COLLECTOR
W. E. JONES, SCHOOL SUPT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF GREGG

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS ON SECOND MONDAY
IN FEBRUARY, MAY, AUGUST AND NOVEMBER

LONGVIEW, TEXAS

10/29/17.

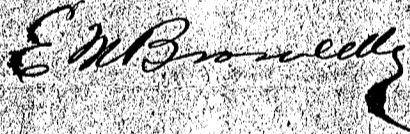
Hon. J. C. Jones,
Pension Commissioner,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

J.R. Chrismen, pensiner No. 13827, past office address Longview, Texas, died on the 26th of this month. His widow is over seventy years of age and is without any funds whatever for support. She wants to make application for the thirty dollars allowance on burial expenses. Please send necessary blanks to be filled out. Her name is Mrs. M. P. Chrismen.

Thanking you in advance for your kind and prompt attention to this, I am,

Yours very truly,



P.S. Mrs. Chrismen is also making application for pension as the widow of her deceased husband.

EMB/M



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EX PARTE

J. R. Christian
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Pending in the Honorable Commissioners Court
of Yugg County, Texas,
before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

The Honorable County Judge of Yugg County, Texas,
will please take notice that, five days after the service hereof, applicant herein will apply to the Clerk of the County Court of
said County and State, for a commission to take the depositions of D. H. Lamb
and G. M. Nelson who reside in the County of Texas in
the State of Ala. in answer to the following interrogatories and such cross interrogatories as may be
propounded by the County Judge of said County, which will be read in evidence upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension
in behalf of applicant; said testimony is material and indispensable to applicant in furnishing the required proof to his claim
for a pension under the Act of May 12, 1899, the application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and
the facts necessary and required to be proven under the provisions of said Act, applicant believes can not be proven by any
witness residing in the County of Yugg and State of Texas, of which he is a bona fide resident.

J. R. Christian
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be propounded to the Witness et

D. H. Lamb and G. M. Nelson

- INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Present place of residence and post office address?
- INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know J. R. Christian who is an applicant for pension under Act of May 12, 1899?
- INT. 3. How long have you known the said J. R. Christian applicant for pension and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said J. R. Christian applicant for pension enlisted in the service of the Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier or a sailor?
- INT. 5. Do you personally know in what company and regiment the said J. R. Christian applicant, enlisted and served in the Confederate army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you personally knew and so have stated that he enlisted and served in the Confederate navy, then state: When? Where? And how long he so served?
- INT. 6. Do you further know that J. R. Christian the said applicant for pension, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort?

CROSS INTERROGATORIES.

To be Propounded to

G. M. Nelson and D. H. Lamb

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said applicant, and that you know that he enlisted in the service of the Confederacy and performed the duties of a soldier or sailor, and having named the company and regiment in which applicant so enlisted and served, then please state fully what is your source of such knowledge? And state whether or not you know or at any you knew of any other soldier or sailor by the name of J. R. Christian serving in the same company or regiment in which you say the said applicant J. R. Christian enlisted or if you have stated that said applicant enlisted and served in the navy of the Confederacy, then state whether or not you know

any other sailor of the same name as said J. R. Williams applicant, serving in the same command?

If you say that you so knew other soldiers or sailors of the same name of applicant's, then can you and how do you identify and locate the one from the other or others?

CROSS INT. 2. Are you positively certain that said J. R. Williams applicant for pension, is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. If you have answered Direct Interrogatory No. 6 in the affirmative, then please state your source of knowledge or information? Is not this your answer simply based on conjecture?

CROSS INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said J. R. Williams applicant for pension, ever deserted the service in the Confederate army or navy?

[Empty dotted lines for answers to interrogatories]

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)

County of Trigg)

I, Edwin Lacy, County Judge of said County, in said State, do hereby waive copy of interrogatories, notice, time and issuance of commission, and it is hereby agreed that the answers to the hereinabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness J. R. Williams may be attached hereto.

Edwin Lacy
County Judge, Trigg County, Texas.

J. R. Williams
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

In Re
Application for Confederate
Pension.

IN COMMISSIONERS COURT,

Trigg County, Texas,
Pending before County Judge of said County.

Ex Parte

J. R. Williams
Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

PROPOUNDED TO

Edwin Lacy
Edwin Lacy
Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of March 1908

W. F. Foshee
Justice of the Peace

THE STATE OF ~~TEXAS~~ *Alabama*
County of *Dallas*

I, *W. F. Foshee a Justice of the Peace*
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

do hereby certify that *D. H. Gamble*
and *F. M. Nelson* are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said
County and State, and that the foregoing answers of *David H. Gamble*
and Francis M. Nelson

the witnesses before named, and *David H. Gamble*
Francis M. Nelson whose names appear signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before me,
and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4) *D. H. Gamble & F. M. Nelson*

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 27th day of March 1908

(L. S.)

William F. Foshee
a Justice of the Peace

NOTE.—In Texas, any Clerk of the District Court, any Judge and Clerk of the County Court, or any Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, within their respective Counties, are authorized to take depositions.
Out of the State and within the United States—Any Clerk of a Court of record having a seal, any Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas.

File No. _____

In the Commissioners Court

OF

Magg County, Texas.
Before the Honorable County Judge of Said County.

EX PARTE

J. P. Robinson
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

DEPOSITION

OF

Witness..... for Applicant.

Filed the _____ day

of _____ 1

Clerk.

By _____ Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____



- (1) Here give the name and residence of each witness.
- (2) Here state "and cross interrogatories," if any.
- (3) Here give the name and official character of the person taking the deposition.
- (4) Here state "respectively," if more than one witness.
- (5) Here state whether "Commission, or agreement," if Commission was waived.

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act May 12, 1899, pending in County Commissioners Court of

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

Answers and depositions of (1)

David H. Gamble - My Age 74 years Alexander City Ala R.F. # 6

to the accompanying interrogatories (2)

propounded to

in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

of the page for Saltpetre County and State of Alabama

in accordance with the accompanying (5)

I did know in 1862 from May until Aug. I know him in 1861 and on for several years after war he left for Texas

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers:

D. H. Gamble According to my best knowledge he enlisted in Company F, and in the 47th Alabama regiment in May 1862 at LoChapoka Ala. he served on with me until the Battle at Cedar Mountain in the State of Virginia the 9th of August 1862 I was wounded and left the Army and left Mr J. R. Chrisman in service, I further state that I do not know Mr J. R. Chrisman Condition for Labor nor his financial Condition

J. H. Gamble

Interrogatories of Francis M. Nelson

I am 68 years old Alexander City Ala R.F. # 7

I knew him in 1862

I first knew him in 1862 in the Army I do know J. R. Chrisman did serve in the Army and was a good soldier

I do know the said J. R. Chrisman enlisted in Company F, at LoChapoka is my best recollection and belong to the 47th Alabama Regiment and my best recollection is he served in the war until the surrender by R. E. Lee as I havent seen J. R. Chrisman in a long time I do not know about his ability to make a living. I do know that there was many other J. R. Chrisman in the Regiment

Francis M. Nelson

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Comptroller's Department,

State of Texas,

Austin.

J. W. STEPHENS, COMPTROLLER.
JOHN T. SMITH, CHIEF CLERK.

To the Military Secretary,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of

J. R. Christian
..... who is reported to have enlisted in
Company *F.*, *47th* Regiment *Alabama Infantry*
.....
in the service of the Confederate States army.

Purpose: The person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension granted by this State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

J. W. Stephens
.....
Comptroller.



Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, September 19, 1908.

Respectfully returned to the

Comptroller,
State of Texas,
Austin.

It is shown by the records that
James R. Chrisman, private, Company
F, 47th Alabama Infantry, Confederate
States Army, was enrolled May 13, 1862,
and that he was captured May 24, 1864,
and was released June 30, 1865, on
taking the oath of allegiance.

J. C. Huiswood
The Adjutant General.

[A. G. O. 72-1]

W.C.

*Austin, Texas,
Sept 15, 1908.*

*J. R. Chrisman
Co. F, 47th Ala. Infy
C.S.A.
Military records,*

*Requested, by
State Comptroller*

January 28, 1918.

Mrs. J. R. Chrisman,
Longview, Texas.

Dear Madam:

I am in receipt of a quarterly affidavit for a pension No. 13827, Gregg County. Looking over our records I find this affidavit belonged to one J. R. Chrisman now deceased. I have therefore cancelled this affidavit. You cannot draw his pension but you can make an application for a pension. Your County Judge will give you full instructions and same must be filed with this department.

Awaiting to serve you at any time, I am

Yours truly,

J. G. Jones,

Commissioner of Pensions

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AFFIDAVIT

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Return this affidavit to J. C. Jones, Commissioner of Pensions, Austin, Texas, at once. (Please return before January 15, 1918)

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Hartmann

ORIGINAL COUNTY GRBGC
APPLICATION NO. 13827

This is to certify that I am the identical person to whom a pension has been granted under Articles 6267-6285, R. S. 1911, an Act approved April 7, 1913.

I also certify that the county in which my application was originally made and the file number of said application, according to the records in the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, are the same as given in the upper right-hand corner of this affidavit.

I further certify that the same conditions exist as did at the time my application for pension was made, that I do not own real or personal property to the value of One Thousand Dollars, exclusive of my homestead, the value of which does not exceed One Thousand Dollars; that my annual income, not including my pension, does not exceed Three Hundred Dollars; that I am not a resident of the State of Texas, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home.

I hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Mr. J. C. Jones the pensioner whose signature appears above and that the statements made by him are true and correct.

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Mr. J. C. Jones the above-named parties, well known to me, who state under oath that the statements herein contained are true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of Jan

Witness Walter A. Anderson
A. D. 1918

PENSIONER'S NAME AND ADDRESS
Mr. J. C. Jones

San Antonio, A. B. 87 and for Walter A. Anderson
County, Texas.

*This is to certify that the undersigned, Walter A. Anderson and Walter A. Anderson are disinterested, credible witnesses and are in no wise related to the applicant whose signature is

affixed to the above statement; that the applicant resides in San Antonio, Texas, P. O. County, Texas, P. O. that the applicant is the identical person to whom a pension has been granted, and that the conditions which existed at the time of making said application and on which the pension was originally granted still exist; that the applicant signed the above statement in my presence.

Witness my hand this 13 day of Jan A. D. 1918

Witnesses: Walter A. Anderson

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mr. J. C. Jones known to me to be one of the witnesses who signed the foregoing certificate, and on oath states that the statement of the pensioner above set out was made and signed in San Antonio presence, and that the statements contained therein are within the knowledge of affiant true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed this 13 day of Jan

(SEAL) Walter A. Anderson A. D. 1918

Affiant.

*To be filled out and executed in case applicant cannot go before an officer to make affidavit.

Walter A. Anderson in and for Walter A. Anderson County, Texas.

Approved for \$

Commissioner of Pensions.

PENSIONER'S NAME AND ADDRESS:
Mr. J. C. Jones
San Antonio, A. B. 87

E. M. BRAMLETTE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LONGVIEW, TEXAS

2/19/18.

Hon. J. C. Jones,
Pension Commissioner,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose you herewith proof of claim made by Mrs. M. P. Christman on account of the funeral expenses incident to the death of her husband, J. R. Christman, who was pensioner No. 13827. You will observe that the certificate to be made by undertaker is left unexecuted. This is for the reason that no undertaker was used at the burial. Casket was bought in town and the neighbors attended to the matter of burying the deceased. If it is absolutely necessary to have a certificate from some one as to burial, send the papers back and I will see what I can get. I trust, however, that the enclosed papers are sufficient to get the mortuary warrant for this old woman.

Thanking you in advance for your kind attention to this, I am,

Yours very truly,

EMB/M

E. M. Bramlette
Co. Quay

February 28, 1918.

Hon. E. M. Bramlette,
Longview, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of the 19th inst., enclosing application and affidavit for Mortuary Warrant on account of the death of pensioner J. R. Chrisman.

Beg to advise that application shows that pensioner died October 26, 1917 which is too late for applicant to receive the benefits of this law. Herewith I enclose you a copy of the Mortuary Warrant law in which you will notice that all death notices MUST be reported to this office within FORTY days after death occurs. I am sorry that application for the warrant was not made sooner but must abide by the law.

Assuring you it is my pleasure to serve you at any time, I am

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner of Pensions



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OFFICE OF

Commissioner of Pensions

State of Texas

Austin

J. C. JONES
COMMISSIONER
PHILIP D. LISSNER
CHIEF CLERK
MISS ELLA BASSIST
ASS'T CLERK

10/31/1917

Hon. E. M. Bramlette,
Longview, Texas.

My dear Sir:-

Beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 29th inst., informing me of the death of Confederate Pensioner, J. R. Chrisman, # 13827, Gregg County.

That application for Mortuary Warrant might be correctly presented, I am inclosing partly filled application and affidavit to be used for this purpose.

I assure you that it affords me pleasure to be again allowed to serve you,

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner

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E. M. BRAMLETTE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LONGVIEW, TEXAS

3/1/18.

Hon. J. C. Jones,
Commissioner of Pensions,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of February 28th, relative to application for mortuary warrant on account of the death of pensioner, J. R. Christmas, received. I note that you say since the pensioner died October 26th, 1917, it is too late for applicant to receive the benefits of the mortuary warrant law. In this connection, I hand you herewith letter written by you on October 31st, 1917, acknowledging receipt of a letter from me, dated October 28th, informing you of the death of J. R. Christmas, pensioner No. 13827. I am sure you will be glad to learn that this notice reached you in time and that you will take pleasure in having the mortuary warrant issued and sent to the applicant at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you in advance for your kind attention to this, I am,

Yours very truly,

EMB/M

E. M. Bramlette
C. J. J. J.

March 12, 1918

Hon. E. M. Bramlette,
Longview, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Further replying to your letter of the 1st inst., in the matter of the mortuary warrant on account of the death of J. R. Chrisman, beg to advise that application shows that pensioner died October 26, 1917. Before the mortuary warrant can be issued to Mrs. Chrisman, it will be necessary for her to refund to this department the pension warrant for Eighteen Dollars issued to Mr. Chrisman on November 30, 1917. The records in the state treasury show that this warrant was cashed December 8, 1917. Pensioner died before the end of that quarter hence warrant must be returned for cancellation and on receipt of same, mortuary warrant for Thirty Dollars will be issued to Mrs. Chrisman.

Awaiting to serve you further in this matter, I am

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones

- Commissioner of Pensions

No.

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..... Fund

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
STATE OF TEXAS
AUSTIN

Correct, for the sum of \$

Charge to

.....
Commissioner of Pensions.
.....



MORTUARY WARRANT

In accordance with Law passed by Thirty-fifth Legislature of Texas in Regular Session

For price

Texas,

918 191*8*

STATE OF TEXAS

To

Mrs M P Chrisman

Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY

Longview Texas R 7

Account of Death of Pensioner No. *13827*

County *Grege*

Pensioner's Name in full *J. R. Chrisman*

ITEMIZE ACCOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY DOLLARS.

*Writheam of 4 pems of correct etc
for benefit of Mrs P R Chrisman, recd.
Whole amt recorded \$30.00 30.00*

To above account for

Writheam

Dollars

is just, due and unpaid.

Mrs M P Chrisman

Decd 10-26-17 Sworn to and subscribed before me this

18 day of *July*

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last warrant due 8-31-17

Em B Brownlee County

~~Notary Public~~

John

County

1918

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT.

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg } I, Mrs M P Chrisman

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late J. R. Chrisman, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 13827 and whose original county is Gregg

The said pensioner J. R. Chrisman died on the 26 day of Oct, 1917, in the town of Sum Spring, County of Harrison, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of my son in law who was related to the pensioner as son in law

That the warrant which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the expenses incurred by the said pensioner J. R. Chrisman

I further certify that the warrant for the current quarter has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as (Friend) wife and that my home is in the town of Sum Spring, County of Harrison, State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Longview Texas, R. 7

Sworn to this & 18 day of February, 1918
Signed Mrs M P Chrisman

Before me County Judge in and for the County of Gregg, State of Texas, personally appeared Mrs M P Chrisman, who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.
(Seal of Office) E M Brannell - County Judge
in and for Gregg, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, _____ do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of _____, County of _____, State of _____, that I had charge of the body of J. R. Chrisman, who died in the town of _____, County of _____, State of _____, on the _____ day of _____, 191____. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the _____ day of _____, 191____. That said body was buried in the _____ Cemetery, which is located in the County of _____, State of _____, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for, should be issued to the said _____ who makes the foregoing application.

Signed _____ Undertaker

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, D B McPherson, do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended J. R. Chrisman in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Paralysis Agita of long standing & lost illness recent

I further certify that I am of the opinion that the Mortuary Warrant above requested, should be issued in the name of the aforementioned applicant, in accordance with Act passed by the 35th Legislature, and approved 1/18/18 1917
Signed D B McPherson Physician
Physician's Address Longview Texas